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Docket No.:GK-ZEI-3126/500343.20127

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Applicant:

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Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office

Action dated December 27, 2001.

Enclosed herewith is a check in the amount of \$400.00. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1529.

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Reed Smith LLP 375 Park Avenue 17th Floor New York, NY 10152

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ectfully submitted,

Gerald H. Kiel Reg. Number: 25,116 Telephone: 212-521-5400

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REMARKS

In response to the Office Action of December 27, 2001, please enter the following corrections indicated in red.

Please delete the German language in Figures 1 and 2 as indicated in red ink herein.

REED SMITH, LLP 375 Park Avenue, 17th Floor New York, NY 10152 Respectfully submitted,

By:

Gerald H. Kiel, Reg. No. 25,116

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TRANSMITTAL / CLAIM SHEET

Sir:

Enclosed are the following documents for the above-identified application:

- [X] 1. 2 Month Petition for an Extension of Time
- [X] 2. Amendment
- []3. Terminal Disclaimer fee \$.00
- [X] 4. Request for Approval of Drawing Changes with 2 Sheets of drawings
- [X] 5. Check(s) \$84.00 (Extra Claim) and \$400.00 (2 month extension of time fee)
- []6. other

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	remaining after	Highest number previously paid for	Extra	Large Entity Rate	Large Entity Amount
	Amendment	<u> </u>		 	
Total Claims	9	20	0	X \$18.00	\$ 00.00
Independent Claims	4	3	1	X \$84.00	\$ 84.00
[] Multiple dependent claim fee\$ 280.00					
ADDITIONAL FILING FEE:					\$ 84.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No: 50-1529.

Respectfully submitted,

Bv:

Gerald H Kie

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